IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Takagi et al. Docket No.: 2000-29

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Customer No.: 86002 Confirmation No.: 3073

For: Metallic belt and push block used therefor

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

REPLY

Sir:

This is a reply to the non-final Office Action of April 12, 2011. Please enter and consider the following remarks.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees filed, asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account 14-1437. Please credit any excess fees to such account.